1 2 3 4 5 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 6 7 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 8 9 10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, No. CR 12-00096 WHA 11 Plaintiff, 12 ORDER DENYING MOTION FOR CHANGE OF VENUE v. 13 JAMES SHELTON, 14 Defendant. 15 16 Plaintiff filed a motion for change of venue pursuant to Federal Rule of Criminal 17 Procedure 21(b). Defendant James Shelton opposed. For the reasons stated at the hearing held 18 on April 17, 2012, the motion is **DENIED**. 19 20 IT IS SO ORDERED. 21 22 Dated: April 18, 2012. WILLIAM ALSUP 23 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE 24 25 26 27 28